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Annual Report

Ellsworth

New Hampshire



Year Ending January 31

1938

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

OFFICERS

OF THE

TOWN OF ELLSWORTH, N. H.

Year Ending January 31, 1938

TRIBUNE PUBLISHING COMPANY, CANAAN, N. H.

TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator

Allie E. Batchelder ✓

Town Clerk

Stella F. Batchelder

Selectmen

Allie E. Batchelder

Charles R. Sargent

Chester A. Avery

Treasurer

Stella F. Batchelder

Tax Collector

Margaret L. Avery

Town Police

Hollis E. Downing

Roscoe W. Dunklee

Road Agent

William F. Batchelder

Auditor

Helen E. Downing

Health Officer

Helen E. Downing

Overseer of the Poor

Allie E. Batchelder

WARRANT FOR TOWN MEETING

1. s. THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the Town of Ellsworth, in the County of Grafton in said State, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the School House in said Ellsworth on Tuesday, the eighth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriation of the same.

3. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of highways and bridges.

4. To see if the town will vote to accept State Aid for construction of class II road, known as Trecothick Road, and raise and appropriate, or set aside for that purpose, \$49.50, to secure from the State \$1000, or accept State Aid on Class V highways and raise and appropriate or set aside \$40.61 to secure from the State \$162.44.

5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the Town Officers and make appropriation for the same.

6. To see if the town will qualify for State Aid on bridges.

7. To see how much money the town will raise for town debts.

8. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to hire money in anticipation of uncollected taxes and give notes countersigned by the Treasurer.

9. To see if the town will have the inventory blanks distributed at the time of taking inventory.

10. To see if the town will accept the Municipal Budget Act.

11. To bring in your votes for delegate to the Constitutional Convention.

12. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-first day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty-eight.

ALLIE E. BATCHELDER,
CHESTER A. AVERY,
CHARLES R. SARGENT,
Selectmen of Ellsworth.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

ALLIE E. BATCHELDER,
CHESTER A. AVERY,
CHARLES R. SARGENT,
Selectmen of Ellsworth.

INVENTORY**Real and Personal Property April 1, 1937**

Real Estate	\$32,745.00
2 Oxen	200.00
5 Cows	200.00
1 Sheep	5.00
Electric Plants	60.00
Portable Mills	150.00
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Total Valuation	\$33,360.00

TAXES LEVIED FOR ALL PURPOSES

To Defray Town Charges	\$350.00
Highways and Bridges	400.00
State Aid Construction	49.50
Town Debts	400.00
State Tax	80.00
County Tax	108.26
Schools	300.00
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Total	\$1,687.76

SELECTMEN IN ACCOUNT WITH THE TOWN**Receipts**

Cash on hand February 1, 1937	\$ 205.95
From Tax Collector, 1936 Tax	540.12
From Tax Collector, 1937 Tax	1,257.31

Total from Local Sources	<hr/> \$2,003.38
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From State Treasurer:

Class V Highway	\$ 61.50 ✓
Savings Bank Tax	6.48 ✓
Bounties	38.40 ✓
National Forest Reserve	182.38 ✓
Abatement State Tax, Etc.	309.63 ✓

Total from State Treasurer	<hr/> \$598.39
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From Local Sources Except Taxes:

Stella F. Batchelder, Dog Tax	\$42.00 ✓
Stella F. Batchelder, 1937 Auto Permits	29.49 ✓
Stella F. Batchelder, 1938 Auto Permits	9.84 ✓

Total	<hr/> \$81.33
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Temporary Loans:

R. E. Avery	\$50.00
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Total	<u>\$50.00</u>
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Total Receipts from all Sources	<u>\$2,733.10</u>
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Expenditures

Town Officers' Salaries:

Margaret L. Avery, Tax Collector	\$50.00
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Stella F. Batchelder, Town Clerk	50.00
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Stella F. Batchelder, Town Treasurer	50.00
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Chester A. Avery, Selectman	50.00
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Allie E. Batchelder, Selectman	50.00
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Charles R. Sargent, Selectman	50.00
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Allie E. Batchelder, Overseer of Poor	27.00
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Helen E. Downing, Auditor	12.00
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Hollis E. Downing, Town Police	15.00
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Roscoe Dunklee, Town Police	15.00
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Stella F. Batchelder, Fees	3.90
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Margaret L. Avery, Advertising Fees	8.00
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Total	<u>\$380.90</u>
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Election and Registration:

Allie E. Batchelder, Moderator	\$ 3.50
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Stella F. Batchelder, Town Clerk	3.00
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Margaret L. Avery, Supervisor	15.00
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Total	<u>\$21.50</u>
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Town Officers' Expenses:

Allie E. Batchelder, Overseer of Poor	\$29.50
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Allie E. Batchelder, going over land	50.00
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Charles R. Sargent, Expenses	27.56
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Allie E. Batchelder, Mileage, Etc.	70.00
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Allie E. Batchelder, Transportation Town Officers	50.00
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Albert R. Conkey, Transportation Town Officers	5.12
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Suma R. Sargent, Trip to Plymouth	3.00
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Allie E. Batchelder, Postage, Supplies, Etc.	34.39
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Harold W. Avery, Carrying Road Agent to Plymouth	2.00
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Stella F. Batchelder, Mileage, Clerk and Treas.	77.44
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Stella F. Batchelder, Supplies, Postage, Telephone, Etc.	60.00
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Margaret L. Avery, Expenses	34.50
Roscoe W. Dunklee, Rebate, Overpaid Tax on Car	1.83
Edson C. Eastman, Supplies	14.71
Stella F. Batchelder, Copying	40.50
Chester A. Avery, Expenses	44.78
H. W. Noyes, Bonds and Insurance	25.00
Tribune Publishing Co., Printing	16.25
Grafton County Register of Deeds	.86
W. B. Avery, Supplies	5.90
Total	<u>\$593.74</u>
Bounties:	
Hedgehog	\$28.40
Bear	10.00
Total	<u>\$38.40</u>
Interest	\$76.20
Bank Charges	2.75
Total	<u>\$78.95</u>
Highways and Bridges:	
W. F. Batchelder, Road Agent	
Total Expended	\$852.05
State Aid Construction	64.04
Total	<u>\$916.09</u>
Police:	
George K. Thompson, going up to W. F. Batchelder's	\$3.00
School Maintenance:	
Eva C. Batchelder, Treasurer	\$196.00
Temporary Loans:	
Ralph E. Avery	\$50.00
Eva C. Batchelder	20.00
Pemigewasset National Bank	100.00
Total	<u>\$170.00</u>
State Treasurer, State Tax	\$ 80.00
Harry S. Huckins, County Tax	108.26
Total expenditures	<u>\$2,586.84</u>

FINANCIAL STATEMENT**Total Assets**

Cash on Hand, Feb. 1, 1938	\$146.26
Uncollected Tax, 1936	52.43
Uncollected Tax, 1937	234.87
Total	\$433.56

Liabilities

Notes Outstanding	\$1,650.00
Due School District	294.00
Total	\$1,944.00

ALLIE E. BATCHELDER,
 CHARLES R. SARGENT,
 CHESTER A. AVERY,
 Selectmen.
 STELLA F. BATCHELDER,
 Treasurer.

Town Clerk's Report

Cash Received from Auto Permits, 1937	\$29.49
Cash Received from Auto Permits, 1938	9.84
Cash Received from Dog Licenses	42.00
Total	\$81.33
Paid over to Treasurer	\$81.33
STELLA F. BATCHELDER, Town Clerk.	

Tax Collector's Report

Taxes Committed to Collector, 1937	\$1,487.93
Less Uncollected	234.87
	\$1,253.06
Property Taxes, 1937 Collected	\$1,233.06 ✓
Poll Taxes, 1937 Collected	20.00 ✓
	\$1,253.06
Interest Collected	4.25 ✓
Total 1937 Taxes Collected	\$1,257.31

Previous Year Taxes Collected	540.12 ✓
Total Collected	<u>\$1,797.43</u>
Paid Over to Treasurer	\$1,797.43
MARGARET L. AVERY, Tax Collector.	

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

Total Expended	\$852.05
W. F. Batchelder	\$ 72.10
A. E. Batchelder	250.30
C. A. Avery	76.80
Ed. Sanborn	10.00
A. F. Downing	77.55
A. E. Batchelder, Mileage. Etc.	50.00
H. W. Avery	10.00
Harold Avery, Jr.	1.50
Clarence Avery	18.40
Hollis Downing	2.00
Roscoe Dunklee	9.20
C. R. Sargent	26.00
Russell Palmer	45.00
Lee Avery	11.60
Town of Rumney, Tractor Hire	5.00
Town of Campton, Tractor Hire	132.00
M. P. Hibbard	54.60
Total	<u>\$852.05</u>

I hereby certify that I have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correct.

HELEN E. DOWNING,
Auditor.

SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS

School Board	Term Expires
Suma R. Sargent	1938
Allie E. Batchelder	1939
Helen E. Downing	1940
Treasurer,	Eva C. Batchelder
District Clerk,	Ida M. Clark
Superintendent	Allan McCurdy

School Treasurer's Report

Cash on Hand, July 1, 1936	\$.76
Aug. 1	15.00
Dec. 14	45.00
Feb. 24, 1937	25.00
June 22, 1937	55.00
Total	<hr/> \$140.76

Expended

Superintendent's Excess Salary	\$25.00
District Officers' Salaries	78.00
Tuition, Town of Campton	37.00
	<hr/> \$140.00
Balance on Hand, July 1, 1937	.76

EVA C. BATCHELDER,
District Treasurer.

Births Registered in the Town of Ellsworth, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1937

Date.	Place of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex and Condition			Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Place of Birth	
			Male	Female	Living or Stillborn					Father	Mother
1937										Color of Parents	

Aug. 3 Ellsworth Maxine Irene F Living 2 w Albert R. Conkey Irene L. Avery w Ellsworth Laborer Ellsworth Thornton

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief. STELLA F. BATCHELDER, Town Clerk



